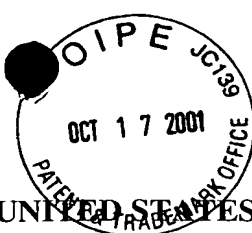


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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION OF: Morikatsu MATSUDA et al.

GAU: 3724

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EXAMINER: C. Goodman

FILED: September 13, 2000

FOR: Punching Machine and Method Thereof

REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME
UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.136

HONORABLE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS
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SIR:

It is hereby requested that a **One** month extension of time be granted to **October 30, 2001** for

- ☒ filing a response to the Official Action dated: March 2, 2001
- ☐ responding to the requirements in the Notice of Allowability dated:
- ☐ responding to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application dated:
- ☐ filing a Notice of Appeal. A timely response to the final rejection, due has been filed.
- ☐ filing an Appeal Brief. A Notice of Appeal was filed on:
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The required fee of **\$110.00**

- ☒ is enclosed herewith by check and any further charges may be made against the Attorney of Record's Deposit Account No. **23-2185**. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.
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